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New Jersey Epilepsy Task Force **Public Hearing**

Date: Friday, April 13, 2012 and Tuesday, May 22, 2012

Time: 10:00 am – 12 noon

Location: Department of Human Services, Division of Developmental Disabilities, Conference Room 199A&B, 5 Commerce Way, Hamilton, NJ 08691

The New Jersey Epilepsy Task Force (Task Force) will be making recommendations to the Governor to create awareness, eliminate discrimination and better address the needs of those with epilepsy within the State of New Jersey. Anyone with personal experience with epilepsy or an interest in better serving those affected by epilepsy is encouraged to give input and present testimony at the public hearing. More information concerning the Task Force can be found at <http://www.nj.gov/governor/admin/search.html>

There are three ways in which you may participate:

1. Submitting written testimony:

Interested persons or organizations may submit written testimony by June 30, 2012 for the Task Force to review. Written testimony should include your name and contact information and be sent to:

Dr. Marilyn Gorney-Daley

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Director, Special Child Health and Early Intervention Services
PO Box 364, Trenton, NJ 08625-0364
Email: Marilyn.gorney-daley@doh.state.nj.us
Facsimile: 609-292-9288 or 3580

2. Presenting testimony in person or attending Public Hearing:

If you would like to attend or present your testimony in person, please call Ms. Diane DiGiovacchino no later than 5 business days before each scheduled hearing at 609-984-0755 to register. Oral testimony should not exceed 5 minutes in length. Those giving oral testimony are required to submit a written copy of their testimony at the Public Hearing. Hearing impaired persons requiring translation services should advise Ms. DiGiovacchino of their needs when they call.

3. Filling out an online survey via the web (currently under development):

If you wish to complete an online survey via the internet, please visit the website of Clayton's Hope Organization (www.claytonshope.org), and follow the links to have your survey submitted.

All public input is welcome to help develop recommendations to enhance all aspects of the quality of life for those with/affected by Epilepsy. **Questions?** Please contact either Dr. Gorney-Daley or Ms. DiGiovacchino at the Department of Health and Senior Services, or the Task Force Chairperson, Ms. Shelby Myers at 609-410-6736 or at admin@claytonshope.org

We thank you in advance for your support and interest.

Directions to Division of Developmental Disabilities

**5 Commerce Way
Hamilton Township, NJ 08691**

FROM NEW JERSEY TURNPIKE

From the NJ Turnpike (95 North or South) go to Exit 7A. Take 195 West towards Trenton. Follow 195 West to exit 3B this is Yardville Hamilton-Square (YHS) Road. At the first light make a right onto Kuser Road. At the 1st street, Crossroads Dr., make another right. The building is at the end of the street.

FROM THE NORTH

(NY City, Newark Airport)

Take 287 South to the NJ Turnpike. Follow above directions to building. ↑

(Princeton Area)

Take Route 1 South to 295 South. Follow 295 to Exit 60 and take the onramp for 195 East. Follow 195 East to exit 3B this is Yardville Hamilton-Square (YHS) Road. At the first light, make a right onto Kuser Road. At the 1st street, Crossroads Dr., make another a right. The building is at the end of the street.

FROM THE SOUTH

295 North to Exit 60. The lanes split so stay to your right to go on 195 East. Follow 195 East to exit 3B this is Yardville Hamilton-Square (YHS) Road. At the first light make a right onto Kuser Road. At the 1st street, Crossroads Dr., make another right. The building is at the end of the street.

FROM ROUTE 130 NORTH OR SOUTH

Follow Route 130 to 195 West. You will enter 195 at entrance #5. Follow 195 West to exit 3B, this is Yardville Hamilton-Square (YHS) Road. At the first light make a right onto Kuser Road. At the 1st street, Crossroads Dr., make another right. The building is at the end of the street.

Visitor parking is available in front of the building. **Staff parking** is in the rear of the building.